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for  
FISCAL YEAR 1999



Submitted pursuant to S. Res. 209 and section 302(b)  
of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended

BY THE

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Mr. STEVENS, from the Committee on Appropriations,  
submitted the following

REPORT

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report pursuant to Senate Resolution 209 and section 302(b)(1) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended.

The Budget Act requires that as soon as practicable after a concurrent resolution on the budget is agreed to, the Committee on Appropriations shall submit to the Senate a report subdividing among its subcommittees the new budget authority and total outlays allocated to the Committee in the joint explanatory statement accompanying the conference report on such a resolution.

Under the provisions of section 301(a) of the Budget Act, the Congress shall complete action on a concurrent resolution on the budget no later than April 15 of each year. In the absence of such congressional action, on April 2, 1998, the Senate agreed to Senate Resolution 209 providing section 302 allocations to the Committee on Appropriations for fiscal year 1999. Under the terms of the resolution these allocations remain in effect in the Senate until a concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1999 is agreed to by the Senate and the House of Representatives.

This approach is not without precedent. A similar resolution (S. Res. 308; 101st Congress) was agreed to in the Senate on July 12, 1990, providing allocations for the Committee for fiscal year 1991.

*Year 2000 technology problem.*—The Committee will recommend an additional \$2,250,000,000 as an emergency appropriation to ensure timely and effective action by the Federal Government to respond to the year 2000 computer crisis. These amounts will be subject to an emergency designation by the President, and to allocation for critical Federal Government information technology systems. The amounts provided to specific agencies will be subject to con-

sultation and review by the Committee and the Senate Special Committee on the Year 2000 Technology Problem. While not allocated to a specific subcommittee, this appropriation will be recommended in the Treasury, General Government Subcommittee bill, and will be available for transfer to all Federal agencies and departments.

#### AMOUNTS CONTAINED IN THE RESOLUTION

Pursuant to Senate Resolution 209, the Committee received an allocation comprised as follows:

[In millions of dollars]

Category	Budget authority	Outlays
Defense discretionary .....	271,570	266,635
Nondefense discretionary .....	255,450	289,547
Violent crime reduction .....	5,800	4,953
Mandatory .....	299,159	291,731
Total .....	831,979	852,866

The Committee notes that, under the terms of several provisions of the Budget Act, the chairman of the Committee on the Budget may increase the 302(a) allocation of the Committee on Appropriations if certain conditions relating to funding of specific programs are met. These provisions address such items as: funding for the International Monetary Fund (sec. 314(b)(3)); arrearages for international organizations, international peacekeeping, and multilateral development banks (sec. 314(b)(4)); funding of continuing disability reviews (sec. 314(b)(2)); funding for the earned income tax credit initiative (sec. 314(b)(5)); and adoption incentive payments (sec. 314(b)(6)).

# SUBCOMMITTEE ALLOCATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 1999

[In millions of dollars]

Subcommittee	Defense		Nondefense		Violent crime reduction fund		Mandatory		Total	
	Budget authority	Outlays	Budget authority	Outlays	Budget authority	Outlays	Budget authority	Outlays	Budget authority	Outlays
Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies .....	.....	.....	13,675	14,075	.....	.....	41,460	33,429	55,135	47,504
Commerce, Justice, State, Judiciary .....	335	326	26,300	25,825	5,524	4,688	554	555	32,713	31,394
Defense .....	250,220	245,000	26	26	.....	.....	202	202	250,448	245,228
District of Columbia .....	.....	.....	482	468	.....	.....	.....	.....	482	468
Energy and Water Development .....	12,100	11,772	9,047	8,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,147	20,672
Foreign Operations .....	.....	.....	12,600	12,400	.....	.....	45	45	12,645	12,445
Interior and Related Agencies .....	.....	.....	13,300	13,800	.....	.....	58	58	13,358	13,858
Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education .....	.....	.....	82,175	80,100	144	136	220,740	221,661	303,059	301,897
Legislative Branch .....	.....	.....	2,400	2,300	.....	.....	94	94	2,494	2,394
Military Construction .....	8,484	9,110	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,484	9,110
Transportation and Related Agencies .....	300	300	12,765	39,200	.....	.....	682	678	13,747	40,178
Treasury and General Government .....	.....	.....	12,825	11,800	132	129	13,439	13,439	26,396	25,368
VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies .....	131	127	69,855	80,653	.....	.....	21,885	21,570	91,871	102,350
Total .....	271,570	266,635	255,450	289,547	5,800	4,953	299,159	291,731	831,979	852,866

COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 7(C), RULE XXVI OF THE  
STANDING RULES OF THE SENATE

Pursuant to paragraph 7(c) of rule XXVI, the Committee en bloc ordered reported the 302(b) allocation, subject to amendment, and granted authority for revisions to allocations as necessary, by a recorded vote of 26–1, a quorum being present. The vote was as follows:

Yeas	Nays
Chairman Stevens	Mr. Kohl
Mr. Cochran	
Mr. Specter	
Mr. Domenici	
Mr. Bond	
Mr. Gorton	
Mr. McConnell	
Mr. Burns	
Mr. Shelby	
Mr. Gregg	
Mr. Bennett	
Mr. Campbell	
Mr. Craig	
Mr. Faircloth	
Mrs. Hutchison	
Mr. Byrd	
Mr. Inouye	
Mr. Hollings	
Mr. Bumpers	
Mr. Lautenberg	
Mr. Harkin	
Ms. Mikulski	
Mr. Reid	
Mrs. Murray	
Mr. Dorgan	
Mrs. Boxer	